

From: David Sternberg/R3/USEPA/US
Sent: 2/22/2012 10:32:02 AM
To: Victoria Binetti/R3/USEPA/US@EPA; Dennis Carney/R3/USEPA/US@EPA
CC: Terri-A White/R3/USEPA/US@EPA; Joan Schafer/R3/USEPA/US@EPA; Thomas Damm/CBP/USEPA/US@EPA
Subject: Fw: three questions for fracking story

Vicky or Dennis,

Any thoughts on this. We also got an inquiry from the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette regarding the emails that we received regarding Butler and what we intend to do about it.

I recommend

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Please advise. Thanks,

David

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From: KarenD Johnson/R3/USEPA/US
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Date: 02/22/2012 07:34 AM
Subject: Re: Fw: three questions for fracking story

Vicky and Dennis Carney are identified as points to respond to similar situations like Butler .

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Date: 02/21/2012 03:29 PM
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Terri,

I know we have desk statements for WashCo and Dimock. I guess we should have one for Butler. Do we know which division has the lead?

Please advise. Thanks,

David

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From: Jeanne Starmack <starmack@vindy.com>
To: David Sternberg/R3/USEPA/US@EPA
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1. Please give background and update on status of well-testing in Dimock, Pa.

2. Please clarify the focus of the investigation in Washington County, Pa.

3. Two women from Butler County, Pa., asked the federal EPA to step in and investigate well development in their neighborhood in Connoquenessing Township. The women, neighbors, have had problems with well water and have gotten sick, gotten rashes from showers, etc. They were not satisfied with response from the state DEP. They never got a response to their requests for help.

Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy